PUNISHED FOR HIS ASSAULT ON POLICEMAN M'GOWAN. E 393 11 1

TESTIMONY BY EX-MINISTER EGAN. CAPTAIN SCHLEY AND COMMANDER EVANS AS

TO HIS BRAYERY IN CHILL. United States Navy who were attacked by rioters. \$38,286 said that but for his courageous conduct several persons would have been drowned. With May in court were his counsel, Elthu Root; his sister, Mrs. Randolph; ex-Minister Patrick Egan, Commander Evans and Captain Schley. Mr. Root said



that his client pleaded guilty to assault in th ond degree. District-Attorney Nicoll had reommended that this plea be accepted, and that extreme elemency be shown to May, on the ground that no one had been hurt by his crime and because of his deeds of valor in Chill.

HIS EXPLANATION.

I have no recollection or never had any ever of the occurrence. Owing to circums which I am advised it is not important to here, I had been drinking heavily on that remember that late in the aftermen I was now way home to the New-York Hotel, we was stopping, and that still later I found in a police station covered with blood, so wounded in the head, and with a surgeon et in sewing up a gash over my right eve. I ampelled to accept the statement of others teg the transaction; for I know nothing of It. leve I have profited by the lesson which I re

CAPTAIN SCHLEY'S STORY

May not only exposed his life but made kinder object of hatred to the Chilana, and it was a maiter of great astonishment to me that he was not ter of great astonishment to me that he was not exposed. When the sasses instead of the assassinated. Mr. Cleary, who was manager of the assassinated in the gradient of the allert of the same and the lives of several of his company on the occasion the lives of several of his company on the occasion of the shipwreck of the John Elder. May on this occasion, swam through the breakers and saved the lives of three people, exposing himself to possible death in the heavy sea that always lackes that coast. to possible death Commander Evans told how May had furnished

to him valuable information as to the number and position of guns in the Chillian battery. Mr. Root then pleaded that his client should not be impris-Judge Martine said:

then pleaded that his client should not be imprisoned. Judge Martine said:

May, it is an unfortunate thing that a man for
whom so much can be said should be found in the
position in which you new are. You stand here
with the recommendation of the public prosecutor
in your behalf, in which he recommends you to the
extreme clemency of the Court, and he does it having knowledge of these matters which your counsel
have already stated, and he does it for the further
reason that the person who was assuited unouthat day—the police officer—has, in effect, joined
in that recommendation, and submits the matter
to the Court for disposition. Well, possibly it may
be true that the policuman on that day got such
satisfaction then and there out of you as he was
entitled to. Your relations are people of whom you
may well be proud. They are not quite table to
be as proud of you—not quite. I am sorry it is
so; but you should have engaged in any such enimprisonment, but, of course, you mas have pensity. In view of all that has been presented I think justice in this case should be fully satisfied by the imposition of a fine, and the sentence of the Court is that you pay a fine of \$500.

The fine was paid and May was released.

O TO DISMISS AN OLD INDICTMENT.

FIT WAS FOUND AGAINST W. C. REINELANDER

FOR ASSAULT IN 1881. Judge Cowing, in General Sessions, will be asked to-day to dismiss the indictment for assault in the first degree found in July, 1884, against William C. Rhinelander. District-Attorney Nicoli has recommended that this course he taken. Ithinelander was the youngest son of W. C. Rhinelander, the wealthy land-owner, who, flying disinherited the young man because he had married a servant. The assault was committed on John Drake, a lawyer, in his office at No. 75 Cedar-st. Drake was the

partner of T. J. Oakley Rhinelander, who is the defendant's brother.
W. C. Rhinelander labored under the idea that W. C. Rhinelander labored under the idea that Drake had committed various offences against him and his family. Finally, he walked into Drake's office and shot him in the shoulder and lung. Several months later, Drake died from predimental, his wounds may or may not have contributed to his death. Rainelander was never indicted for anything but assault. A commission was appointed to inquire into his sanity, and it reported that he was not mentelly sound.

Recorder Smyth examined the defendant himself, and refused to accept the conduction of the commission. Finally, after he had been in the Tembs for over a year, he was released on ball. His home had been at No. 22 Schermerhornest. Brooklyn, but at the office of the Khinelander estate yesterday it was said that all trace of him had been lost.

LATEST STYLES IN COLLARS AND CUFFS.

The firm of Earl & Wilson furnishes the latest tyles in collars and cuffs. Its establishment is the standard one for this line of gentlemen's wearing apparel. The social season has fairly opened, those desirous of providing themselves with and those desirous of providing themselves with the latest innovations in linen should find out what the recent patterns, hearing the well-known initials. "E & W.," are. On all occasions requiring full dress suits this senson, either the Leonta or Tokean brand of standing, collars should be worn. The the of both patterns are bent. The Leonta is the higher collar. For street wear the Elko is worn, or the Kenosha, which is particularly adapted for wearing with an overcoat. In the line of culfater the Tyronga is worn. This style is cut on a curve to that the front edge is shorter than the back when the ends are buttoned together. Another culff pattern is the Zepita, the edges of which are cut straight. Both styles are narrow.

PA CLOSE OF A SCECESSFUL HARR. The successful bazaar and entertainment which on-ave., and Fifty-first-st., on Monday was closed

S500. Catherine Colvill, Mrs. Emily Binsse, Mrs. J. W. Drexel, Mrs. Leonce Coudert, Mrs. David McClure, Mrs. Brockholst Cutting and Mrs. Edward Ferrero.

DISCUSSING THE FINAL ESTIMATES.

AN APPEAL FROM THE METROPOLTAN MUSEUM OF ART.

The Board of Estimate held its first session yesterday for the consideration of the final estimates of 1894, to make up the budget of the coming year. McGowan in June, 1887. May, while drank, was insulting shop-siris who were on their way home from work. The policement of the blank, transletent of the board, Mayor Gilroy, Controller Myers, President Barker, of the Tax Department, Corporation Counsel Clark and Colonel McClellan, president of the Board, Mayor Gilroy, Controller Myers, President of the Board, Mayor Gilroy, Controller Myers, President of the Board, Mayor Gilroy, Controller Myers, President Barker, of the Tax Department, Corporation Counsel Clark and Colonel McClellan, president of the Board, Mayor Gilroy, Controller Myers, President Barker, of the Tax Department, Corporation Counsel Clark and Colonel Medical Medi The members of the board, Mayor Gilroy, May drew his revolver to shoot him. McGowan 837.444,15408. The provisional estimates for 1894 as knocked the weapon out of his hand and clubbed they were made up by the various heads of depart-

MAYOR GILROY INTERESTED IN PROSECUTING A LAWYER WHO USED THE NAMES OF

HEAFY GALES AT SEA.

ON THE NORTH ATLANTIC.

of stermy voyages ner as the North Atlan still continue to be brought in by vessels from ropean ports. The steamer Bayonne, from Glassported a succession of southwest and norththe wind blew with hurricane force. The Bayonne

The steamer H. H. Meier, from Bremen, had gales, qualts, rain, hall and high seas. From Subjeisland to New-York she had an especially hard

ime of it.

The Pascal, from Santos, had fine weather until
the Faschel Bermuda. From Bermuda up the coast
he had a rough passage on December 18 the
teamer had to lay to for six hours in a west-southner Sirius, from Brazil, also reported

ALDERMEN MAY BE HALED BEFORE THEIR BOSS The principal matters before the Board of Aldermen yesterday were the railroad franchises which the Broadway syndicate requested, and the resolution allowing the trustees of the Woman's Hospital to sell its present site so as to move uptown. In their failure to pass the latter ordinance the Aldermen, it is said, boldly defied the orders of Richard Croker. The Metropolitan Traction Syndicate was authorized to build its branch of the Lexington Avenue and Pavonia Ferry Railroad through Lexington-ave. Though Ninety-sixth-st., First-ave. Ninety-third-st., and Avenue A. to connect with the Astoria Ferry, also to extend the line of the Ninth-ave. road through One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-st, and Ons-hundred-and-thirtieth-st., to the Fort Lee Ferry.

The Law Committee submitted a favorable report on the request of the Woman's Hospital trustees, but a three-fourths' vote was required to pass it. or twenty-four affirmative responses. As only twenty-three members were present this could not be done, and the petition wont over. The eight absentees may be required to appear at Tammany Hall and explain why they balked the boss's scheme.

The Rapid Transit Commissioners held no public meeting yesterday afternoon. They did meet in the privacy of their council chamber, there to consider the absurd plans of Mr. Bushe for a new elevated railroad spides web. At 2:30 o'clock Edward C. O'Brien, the clerk to the Commission, came into the public meeting-room, and asked if any one wanted to talk with the Commissioners. Lawson N. Fuller said that he wanted to tell the Commissioners how they could do the work on the new lines in much less time than they had said they could. Mr. O'Brien brought back word that the Commissioners would be glad to consider Mr. Fuller's ideas if he would submit them he writing.

"I knew they wouldn't hear me," said Mr. Fuller. "but I propose to have an apoloxy from luman, or Fil choke him—figuratively speaking. Two meetings ago he shut me up, and told me that I had called the Commissioners sooundrels and rogues. I never scaundrels and rogues. I never scaundrels and rogues. I never scaundrels and rogues. I said that I thought they were incompetent, and I believe they are." privacy of their council chamber, there to consider

NO COTTON EXCHANGE CLEARING HOUSE.

By an overwhelming vote the members of the Cotton Exchange decided yesterday not to have a clearing house. The efforts to secure a clearing house for this exchange have been continued for a year, and the defeat of the proposition to estate lish one has created much ill feeling on the exchange.

TO EXTEND RIVERSIDE PARK.

At a meeting of the Park Board yesterday, a resolution was adopted approving the plan for extending the Western boundary of Riverside Park to the bulkhead line of the Hudson River as estabto the bulkhead line of the Hidson River as established by the laws of 1893, but excluding therefrom the land reserved for the Dock Department's
plers, 25 feet at Ninety-sixth-st., and 1,100 feet
as Seventy-rinth-st. -The resolution was referred to
the Board of Street Opening.

The Commissioners decided in executive session
to ask the Board of Estimate for the full appropriation of 255,000, authorized by the Legislature
for the maintenance of the Metropolitan Museum of
Art, for the year 1894.

A LIST OF PEOPLE WELL KNOWN IN SOCIETY.

"The Society List" for 1893 and 1894 is out with a new cover, which makes its appearance extremely attractive. "The List," besides having in alphabet ical order the names, with addresses, of people well-known in society, contains a directory of physicians and dentists, theatres and clubs with other information. The office of the "List," which is now under a new management, is at No. 22 Fifth-ave. HODGMAN'S MACKINTOSHES

for Men, Women and Children make appropriate and useful

HOLIDAY CIFTS.

Prices on our Waterproof Garments range \$1.50 то \$50.00

thus affording a wide choice. Sizes which do not fit exchanged after the holidays.

HODGMAN RUBBER COMPANY.

BROADWAY. 21 WEST 23D-ST. Corner Grand Street. adj. 5th Ave. Hotel.

FOR A SHARE IN \$11,000,000.

AN APPLICATION TO HAVE THE DAVIS WILL CONTEST REOPENED HERE.

DENIAL OF THE REPORTS THAT THE FIGHT HAD

thich should be found to be in this State.

Colonel Intersoil, in opposition to the motion,

thus city.

Several years ago Mr. Davis had several hundred thousand dollars in stocks and securities in the hands of Seligman & Co., bankers. These securities were afterward transferred to Clark, Dodge & Co., who sent them to the administrator of the estate appointed by the Montana courts.

To support the application for an administrator, Irwin Davis, a brother of Andrew J. Davis, presented an affidavit, in which he said that he pleasented an affidavit, in which he said that he had personal property, consisting of old clothes, belonging to his brother's estate, and that he owed the estate \$350 for money borrowed in 1888. The clothes were left in this city by Mr. Davis in 1892. Colonel Ingersoil said that Irwin Davis owed the estate \$50,000 for money borrowed on his notes. Mrs. Sheffield should maintain her rights in the Montana courts, where the action was still pending. This court, he urged, did not have jurisdiction of the subject matter of the suif, and could not try the validity of the will. There is not one dollar's worth of property belonging to the estate in this city, concluded Colone Ingersoil.

COURT OF APPEALS DECISIONS. NEW TRIAL ORDERED OF THE STORES-MACKAY

SLIT-DAMAGES AGAINST RAILROADS. Albany, Dec. 19 .- The Court of Appeals to-lay, in the case of Edward S. Stokes against John W. Mackay and another, appellants, reversed the judgment of the lower court and ordered a new judgment of the lower court and ordered a new trial. This was an appeal by the defendants from the judgment of the General Term. Ist Department, affirming a judgment for \$90,166.84 in favor of plaintiffs. In 1881 Mackay was the principal pro-prietor of the Postal Telegraph line. The Bankers prietor of the Postal Telegraph line. The Bankers and Merchants' Telegraph Company some time before had passed into the hands of a receiver. Mackay advanced money to Stokes with which to purchase the receivers certificates, with a view to acquiring the property rights of the company, and consolidating it with the Postal Telegraph Company. Stokes made the purchase, but directed the deed to be given to the United Lines Company, of which he was president. Mackay contended that Stokes was acting simply as his agent, while Stokes claimed that he was an equal partner in the purchase.

Stokes claimed that he was an equal partner the purchase.

Frederick C. Friess secured judgment for \$5,000 in his action against the New-York Central and Hudson River Hailroad Company, brought to recover damages for the loss of a leg.

Edith W. Austin secured a judgment for \$5,500 against the Long Island Railroad Company, her husband having been killed by a locomotive while crossing the tracks of the company.

The day calendar for to-morrow is Nos. 156, 146, 115, 144, 143, 65, 78, 79.

TESTIMONY IN THE DE LACY-WALCOTT SUIT. The trial of the suit brought by Peter De Lacy to recover \$100,000 from Alfred F. Walcott, for money lent to Walcott to enable him to put through his Chicago elevated railroad scheme, consumed the attention of Judge Dugro in the Superior Court. Chambers, all day yesterday. Mr. De Lacy and Edward W. Saportas were the only witnesses examined. Their testimony went to show that Walcott acted with authority in making the alleged agreement with De Lacy, which is the foundation of the suit.

SEEKING TO ANNUL A CHILD MARRIAGE. There are a sorry young man and a sorry young girl in this city to-day. They are repenting of their rashness in getting married. The young man is Theodore B. Sayre, eighteen years old; the girl is Mary Louise Gray, fifteen years old. The Rev. is Mary Louise Gray, fifteen years old. The Rev. Dr. Houghton, of "The Little Church Around the Corner," who married the young people, is probably sorry also. The parents of the young couple are hougful that the Superior Court will annul the marriage. Young Sayre lives at No. 818 Sixth-ave., and is employed in his father's drug-store. The girl-bride is a daughter of Randolph L. Gray, of Waco, Texas, and is an adopted daughter of General Oscar La-Grange; she formerly lived at No. 13 West Forty-sixth-st., and played with young Sayre. Mrs. Susan R. La-Grange, No. 28 West Seyrity-second-st., with whom the bride lives, has been appointed guardian ad litem for her in proceedings to annul the marriage.

A PLUMBER'S FIGHT FOR A LICENSE.

Judge Truax, of the Supreme Court, yesterday heard argument on a motion to quash the writ of certiorari issued by Judge Ingraham ordering the certiorari issued by Judge Ingraham ordering the Examining Board of Plumbers to review the proceedings whereby they refused to issue to Thomas J. Kelly, a master plumber, a license to make contracts for plumbing work. Counsel for Kelly intimated that papers had been refused to his client because he was an opponent of Jacob Scabold. A Tammany district leader. The board required that Kelly should present a certificate from Seahold to the effect that Kelly would have none but union men work for him, and would join the master plumbers' association. Decision was reserved.

TO REGAIN POSSESSION OF HIS ESTATE.

Judge Dykman, in the Supreme Court at White Plains yesterday, ordered an accounting and a restoration of the property taken from James Blewitt, who for the last two years and a half has been an inmate of the Bloomindale Asylum, having been sent there following a stroke of paralysis in April, Mr. Blewitt was in the machinery business in Twenty-ninth-st., New-York, for thirty years preceding 1890. A stroke of paralysis having left him mentally weak, on the application of Miss Julia Williams, who said she was his wife, he was

adjudged insane, and she was appointed a committee to take charge of his property. The commitment papers were signed by Dr. Mathew D. Fleid. The case has been in the Court of Appeals twice. Mrs. Blewitt and Dr. Fleid testified in the court yesterday against Blewitt. On the other hand, Dr. Daniel H. Smith, Dr. A. E. Schmid, Dr. N. F. Curtis, Dr. Charles M. Lee. Dr. John Hawks and Dr. Frederick Peterson favored Blewitt's contention that he is sane. Blewitt swore that the alleged Mrs. Blewitt was his common-law wife. She herself admitted she could not tell who officiated at the reputed marriage in 1870. They have two children.

A STRAY COW CAUSES A SUIT FOR DAMAGES. William C. Gulliver, of the firm of Alexander & Green, has brought suit in the Supreme Court to recover \$1,060 from C. E. Blauvelt, of Crestkill, recover \$1,060 from C. E. Blauvelt, of Crestkill, N. J. Mr. Blauvelt owned a cow which he used to tether with a thirty-foot chain. One day the cow got loose and strayed into the highway. The animal went into the shrubbery along the road and was concealed from view, the chain dragging behind and extending across the road. Just then Mr. Guiliver came riding along on horseback. The chain was partially screened by Jersey dust. The horse stepped on the chain. At that instant the cow decided to move on. The horse stumbled and fell, throwing its rider. The horse and rider, it is alleged, were damaged to the extent of \$1,060.

TAX MUST BE PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN PAID.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 19.-Judge Abbett filed an Trenton, N. J., Dec. 19.—Judge Abbett filed an opinion in the Supreme Court to-day, holding that, in cases where the payment of a tax on real-estate at a period twenty years or more prior to date is in dispute, the presumption is that the tax has been paid and the burden of proof is on the taxing authorities. This decision affects all the cities in the State which are trying to collect back taxes under the Martin act. Under the loose taxing system formerly in vogue this city has lost more than \$200,000.

BITS OF LEGAL NEWS.

James Finn has recovered a verdict of \$155 against of the Tombs. He was suspended from July 15 to August 8, 1889, and he sued to recover his salary

will of Michael Reiner, an eccentric East Side de by publication.
de by publication.
de publication.
de proper description of the control of th

COURT CALENDARS FOR TO-DAY.

The Lerm Year Trial Term Part IV—Refere Filasimons of Court Trial Term Part IV—Refere Filasimons of the causes Nos 2019 2519 2109 2011 2500, 1084 2470 2200 2002 2007, 2519 1044 1643 2204 1055, 2020 2544 2025, 2020 2530 2680, 2581, 2007, 2020, Calendar clear.

pages and an addition of of the present day can pericusary avoid the failures of advertisers in the past to their own advantage; how money has been made in the past by advertising and how money can be made in the future, how fortunes have been squadered by attempts in the wrong direction, how to do successful local advertising, etc. There are also articles on numerous subjects of interest to advertising men. The price of the volume is \$5.

LEMONS SCARCE FOR CHRISTMAS The small offering of lemons continues to be a perplexing feature of the market for this part of the season. Rarely have supplies been so small or prices so high. A large carge was soid by auction on Monday before 3 o'clock p. m., at \$4 to \$5.50 a box for "good to choice quality". Another cargo of \$2,000 boxes is due this week, but it is practically bespoken by local and out-of-town tradesmen.

Horace W. Day, of Sgobel & Day, old dealers in this fruit, said yesterday: "New-York feels the shortage of lemons at this season with unusual severity. In former times, when our merchants supplied capital to the shipping points of the other side, free supplies could be depended upon. The method led to the landing of much inferior truit which hurt the New-York market. We are past making advances now partly for this reason, but more particularly because the times will not permit the outlay. I do not expect the market to be at all liberally supplied for the next thirty days." the season. Rarely have supplies been so small or

GOOD PRICES FOR STAGE LITERATURE Collectors of works on the drama and stage topics availed themselves of yesterday's opportunity at the sale of the McLaughlin library, at Bangs & Co., No. 739 Broadway, and a number of privately printed pamphlets by Augustin Daiy were sold at good prices. "The Inconstant, printed in 1889, bringing 34.25. There was a fair attendance at the sale, and prices obtained for general librature were most high, the top fluore of the day being reached when a royal folio copy of the third edition of T. Chippendale's "Gentlemen's and Cabinet Makers' Directory," printed in London in 1762, was ofered. The work is rare in any state, especially so on large paper, and contains 200 plates of designs. The volume offered yesterday brought \$58. To-day the fine set of Groller Club publications will be offered, the sale beginning at 3 p. m. at the sale of the McLaughlin library, at Bangs

SANTA CLAUS AT HOME.

There is variety at the Lenox Lyceum, where Kris Kringle makes his home. There are toys of all kinds, a great assortment of goods, a number of pretty booths, and money has been freely spent by the managers, not only in the decorations and by the managers, not only in the decorations and Christmas tree, but in the appropriate entertainments given upon the stage and downstairs. In addition to the necromanier, the murionettes, the Punch and Judy show and the candyman, there are lots of other interesting things to be seen, among them the lion, the lamb and the haly, which form a most acceptable exhibition. The presents given away to every woman and child who purchases an admission ticket for 25 and 15 cents keep the people downstairs busy distributing them, and the attendance is increasing from day to day.

CONTRIBUTORS TO THE MARVIN R. CLARK FUND.

H. W. Leonard, treasurer of the Marvin R. H. W. Leonard, treasurer of the anticular Clark Benefit Fund, has received money contributions from the following since his last report: Henry E. Abbey, George E. Dodge, Mayor Girey, Superintendent Byrnea William Braokfield, James Kempster, A. Herrmann, C. C. Shayne, Leonard Boyne, Washington E. Connor, Peter Doeiger, Senator Jacob A. Cantor, Mrs. Frank Lessle, Edgar William Nye, Miss Etitle Henderson, W. W. Niles, J. C. Anderson, F. C. Hinekke, D. J. McCarthy, Leicester Holme, Henry M. Tabor, Dr. Charles J. Perry, Miss Marie Tempest, William H. England, William J. Fallon, Mr. Lindeman, Edward Soliew, F. C. Hamilton, ex-Mayor Hewitt, Cornelius N. Bilss, Charles A. Hoyt, J. Hamden Robb, Samuel Carpenter, Ashbel P. Fitch, George F. Splinney, J. H. V. Arnold, A. Steckler, Isldore Strauss, Joseph J. O'Donohue, Dr. John T. Nagle, William Steinway, P. F. McBreen, Charles W. Price, Charles J. Smith, Judge Truax, Henry C. Miner, Judge David Medadam, Salem H. Wales, Jacob A. Abarbanel, James Fitzgerald, J. I. Charlouis, W. J. K. Kenny, Charles F. Wingate, Julius Chambers, Judge P. Henry Durgyo, General Horace Porter. Contributions should be sent to H. W. Leonard, No. 906 Temple Court. Clark Benefit Fund, has received money contribuTHE GENUINE

JOHANN HOFF'S EXTRACT

THE HICHEST AWARD

MEDAL AND DIPLOMA

It exaits the energies, stimulates nutrition and sids digestion, and is a true souso a "FI.ESH AND BI.OOD MAKER."

Beware of imitations. The "Genuine"
has the Signature of "Johann Hoff"
on the neck label of every bottle.

EISNER & MENDELSON CO., Sole Agents, 152 & 154 FRANKLIN ST., NEW YORK.

A PREAK OF NEARLY EIGHT POINTS IN TWO

SINISTER RUMORS WHICH CANNOT BE CONFIRMED

The dealings in New-York and New-England Railwere the sensational feature of the Stock Exchange market yesterday. The transactions unted to about 68,000 shares, and on Monday the recorded trading covered nearly 49,000 shares making 117,000 shares in the two days. The entire capital stock of the New-York and New-England isists of 200,000 shares. The price on Monday fell to 241, 2251, against 28 on Saturday, and yesterday a continuous outpouring of stock which quotation represented a fall of nearly 11 per cent

Houses with intimate Boston connection Members of a promi or indirectly. Rumors were plentiful, but none of them could be confirmed. It was said that there had been a quarrel between F. H. Prince &

sold up by per cent to 52 Illinois Central fell over 1 cent. Northern Pacific preferred declined Pay per cent to 193, In the industrial group American Sugar Refining radied to \$25, but closed at \$13, Chicago Gas fell from 55 to 645,644. General Electric sold from 374 to 355, but then radied 1 per cent. Western Union Telegraph rose to 873, and then receded to 8443,853. Hoston, Dec. 19—11 was rumored this afternoon that a receiver was soon to be appointed for the New York and New Engiand Radirond Company, Secretary Medical speaking for Vice-President Odell, said this afternoon. "It is only a hear raid, we have heard the rumor of receivership, but know nothing about it and do not believe it to be true."

___ RICHARD DE LOGÉROTS SCHEDULES FILED. The schedules in the assignment of Richard de Logerot were filed yesterday in the Court of Com-

Joseph Steiner & Sons and the general merchandis-Greenville, Ala., made an assignment yesterday to are estimated at \$100.00. The assets consist largely of lands which cannot, owing to the business depression, be disposed of, but which are estimated to be werth two or three times the amount of the liabilities.

Watertown, N. Y., Dec. 19.-Before Judge Vann in the Circuit Court here this morning an applica-tion was made for the appointment of a receiver, for the Syracuse Consolidated Street Railway Com-pany, on the ground that the concern is insolvent. The Court appointed Peter J. Mack, an Alderman of Syracuse, as the receiver, and fixed his bond at \$25,000.

tion to remove Thomas J. Powers from the re-ceivership of the American Steam Boiler Company. Eugene Freyer made the anction on behalf of four-Eugene Freyer made the motion on behalf of four-fitths of the stockholders. He said that Mr. Pow-ers was a director of the company, and could not be expected to push claims against his fellow-mem-bers, who were accused of nisappropriation of the company's property. The officers of the company and some of the stockholders objected strenuously to the removal of Mr. Povers, and several made affidavits as to his business ability.

WIDESPREAD INDUSTRIAL DEPRESSION. Camden, N. J., Dec. 19.-It was expected that the Camden, N. J., Dec. 19.—If was expected that the Camden worsted mills would be running yesterday as usual, as the mill has been running on half time. When the employes arrived at the mill to go to work they found a notice on the door stating that the mill would be closed in crinitely on ac-

count of lack of orders. Two hundred men are thrown out of work.

Akron, Ohlo, Dec. 19.—The mower and reaper works of Aultman, Miller & Co. started yesterday with a force of 900 men. There are now 3,000 men unemployed in the city, and great distress exists. The weekly payroll of shops is less now by \$36,000 than it was six months ago.

Massillon, Ohlo, Dec. 19.—The Carus Iron Works employing 200 men, suspended operations yesterday for an indefinite period. Russell & Co.'s manufacturing establishment, employing 1,000 men, has been idle for the last four menths, with no prospect of resuming. A citizens' meeting has been called to devise means by which relief may be furnished.

Utica, Dec. 19.—The Empire Woollen Mill at Clayville will shut down indefinitely as soon as a few

A. G. SPALDING & BROS.

DUPLICATE WHIST.

CHECKERS, CHESS,

and all games for the Family Circle.

243 Broadway, New-York.

Julius Hammerslough, Edward H. Hammerslough and Carl Lange, representing the Hammerslough Brothers, have secured an attachment against the property of Edward Schlesinger in a suit to recover \$7,597 99, due on property furnished to the defendant, who ran two stores in Broadway under the name of "Edward."

The plaintiffs allege that on December, 16 Schlesin ger transferred all his property to "L. Uman & Co." auctioneers, representing that that firm had advanced \$15,000 to him. The property transferred was valued at \$30,000.

LIABILITIES.

THOSE IMPERIAL AUSTRIAN BONDS.

AN AGENT FOR THEIR SALE CHARGED WITH GRAND LARCENY.

Mrs. Barbara Stieniger, of No. 424 East Eightythird-st., yesterday caused the arraignment in the Yorkville Court of Arnold Friedman, doing business under the style of the "Imperial Banking of grand larceny. According to the statement of the complainant, she was approached by a man the complainant, she was approached by a main named Adler during the money panic last summer, who represented that he was acting for Friedman, and induced her to invest in the Imperial Austrian bonds negotiated by his principal.

She wrote in German a dictated statement that she understood that she was paying more than the current market price of the bonds in consideration of the accommodation afforded by the intervals. for \$12.50 per month, but Adler induced her to pay in the entire sum of \$14.50 in about two months, Mrs. Steininger's sor came suspicious, and laid the matter before one connsellor of the German Aid Association, who learned that the market value of the series in question was \$150 each, or \$250 for the amount for which she had contracted to pay \$1.00.

The "Imperial Banking Company" was represented by counsel, who sought to find precedents for the citent's action in Supreme Court reports, Justice Grady said that it appearsd that Mrs. Steininger had disbursed good money without commensurate return, and he proposed to sift the matter to the bottom, and paroled the defendant in custody of counsel for examination to-day.

AN APPEAL FOR HELP.

the Foor has issue, the footbase in this city:

The expectation of midwinter distress among the wage-carners of this city is now fully realized, and the outlook for the next two months is fraught with the gravest apprehensions. The situation demands herole measures, and the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poly, appeals to the philanthropic public for the sum of \$50,00 as urgently required to be expended in material relief conditioned only upon real need.

While realizing the danger of pauperization, we believe many of those now suffering are not such as will sacrifice self-respect by the acceptance of temporary relief. Our wage-carner is not transformed into a mendicant by kindly assistance, privately supplied, in a moment of dire necessity, and, moreover, the question of the hour is one of existence, not one of morals. The distribution of this emergency found will be attended by no publicity. We shall not open depots for indiscriminate charity, nor invite applications, and shall carefully avoid any measures likely to attract vagrants to the city.

We are confident that the present machinery of

MISFORTUNES OF A DISPENSARY SPY.

Charleston, S. C., Dec. 19 (Special).—C. R. Swan, who is to go to jail under the orders of the United States Supreme Court for interfering with goods in possession of the South Carolina Railroad 's still at liberty. The court officials are applied to the court of the still at t awaiting the arrival of the official papers from awaiting the arrival of the official papers from Washington, which are expected daily. Swan has made himself obnoxious here by the insolent and overbearing way in which he has discharged his duties as a dispensary spy, and he has little sympathy. His senterce is to be imprisoned, first, until the liquor which he seized is restored to the railway company; then for three months, and then until the costs in the case are paid. It is supposed that Governor Tiliman will help him out to the extent of releasing the goods and paying the costs. In that case the imprisonment will be for three months only.

GOVERNOR BOIES AGAIN AT WORK.

Des Moines, Dec. 19.-Governor Boies arrived here from Waterloo last night, and was at his office this morning for the first time since he was taken ill, nine weeks ago. The Governor is recovering strength rapidly, and will at once begin work on his message to the Legislature.

THE STEAMER PURITAN BADLY DAMAGED. Newport, Dec. 19.-A diver upon examination finds that for fifty feet on both starboard and port sides the outer shell of the steamer Puritan has received severe punctures. Her inner shell saved her from sinking. She will go to New York in about a week to be dry-docked.

TO BUILD A NEW PIER AT LONG BRANCH. Long Branch, Dec. 19 (Special).-Articles were Long Branch, Dec. 19 (Special).—Articles were filed at Trenton yesterday for the incorporation of the Long Branch Pier Company. The capital stock is \$250,000. The incorporators are Thomas Craig, a contracter: John M. Rulon. street commissioner, and Thompson S. Earle, all of Trenton, and Urlah Herrman and L. B. Schram, of New-York.

It is said their intention is to build a pier in connection with the Iron Steamboat Company, of New-York.

AT THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION, CHICAGO, 1893. One dozen bottles give as much strength and nourishment as a cask of ale

SMASH IN NEW-ENGLAND.

DAYS.

-REPORTS OF A RECFIVERSHIP DENIED-THE

the District Prisons. true value of the stock. This week's crash, how-

and be placed in the hands of a receiver, but Boston dispatches quoted the company's treasurer as denying this report. The bonds of the company closed in Boston at unchanged prices, which strengthened the belief of the friends of the company that no defa.it was impending President McLeod was at his office here, but frequent visits failed to obtain an interview for The Tribune. One story declared that a buil pool, which had been formed to advance the stock on the proposed arrangement for an independent connection with New York, had been forced to liquidiate because of internal troubles. It had been proposed to have the New-York and New-England lease the New-York, New-England and Northern toad, which was formed to build a line from Brew-ster's Station to Leggett's Foint, on the East River, and guarantee the bonds on condition that the earnings of the Northern road up to \$150,090 at year were to go to the New-York and New-England. Some of the large stockholders in the latter company are said to have objected to the constitution of the large stockholders in the latter company are said to have objected to the con-

mon Pleas They show 3207,289 46, Habilities, 579,-625 81, nominal assets, and SR,099 cl, setual assets, Richard de Lagerot owned hotels in this city and in Newport. He falled last summer, as a result, it was said, of extravagant expenditures in furnishing his hotels. George G. Guton is assignee.

NATIONAL TRUNK TRUST DISSOLVED.

Oshkosh, Dec. 19.—The Schmit Bros. Trunk Company, of this city, the largest concern in the National Trunk Trust, has withdrawn, the formal tional Trunk Trust, has withdrawn, the formal proceedings being now in progress. This action was the signal of demoralization, and all companies have gone out except two. The trust was organized a year and seven months ago in Chicago under the laws of the State of Illinois. It comprised all the important plants in the country. The Oshkosh members say it has not been profitable and that there was a lack of harmony.

COULD NOT REALIZE ON THEIR ASSETS. Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 19.-The banking firm of firm of Steiner Bros. & Co., both doing business at E. R. Adams and Bernard Steines. The Habilities

ASKING A RECEIVER FOR A STREET-CAR LINE.

OPPOSITION TO A RECEIVER. Judge Truax yesterday reserved decision on a mo-

A SET OF

BACKGAMMON. DOMINOES,

Ice Skates, Toboggans, Sweaters, and many other suitable Presents for Boys and Girls.

orders, upon which a part of the mill is now engaged, have been filled.

AN ATTACHMENT AGAINST "EDWARD,"

The store at No. 189 Broadway was not open yesterday, but the store at Eighth-st. and Broadway was

The Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor has isued the following appeal for aid in relieving cases of distress in this city:

nyoid any measures likely to acteat:
the city.
We are confident that the present machinery of
the association, with some additions to the Board
of Visitors, will be coual to the occasion presented
by this unusual crisis, and we believe we can act
as the public almoner with a minimum of waste.
Contributions in moorey or by check may be sent
to Warner Van Norden, treasurer, No. 25 Nassaust, and groceries, clothing, bedding, etc., to supply
department, No. 75 Fourth-ave.
R. Fulton Cutting, president; the fee, Dr.
William R. Huntington, Dr. Henry E. Crampton,
James A. Scrymser, William G. Hamilton and
John Paton, vice-presidents.